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Enlisted men and officers in the Soviet Army carry identification which includes their name, date of birth, blood type, and the address of next of kin. The data is carried in a small, round, plastic tube which is carried in the individual's pocket. Enlisted men also carry a service booklet (SLUZHEVNAYA

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KNIZHKA) which is similar to the US Army form twenty. Officers carry, in addition to the identification tube, a certificate of identification which is comparable to the enlisted man's service booklet. 50X1

When a casualty is sent to a hospital no notification is sent to the next of kin. If the soldier should die in the hospital, the hospital personnel section is responsible for notifying the next of kin. The hospital personnel section is efficiently operated, in contrast to the Regimental Personnel Section.

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